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March 3, 2005

Mr. Calvin Scott, Sr. Blind Vendor; Gordon Person's State Office 1416 Marler Road Pike Road, AL 36064

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Dear Mr. Scott:

Your letter to the Vice President has been referred to the Legal Services Corporation (LSC) for review. In your letter you indicate that you are seeking legal assistance. LSC is a non-profit, federally funded corporation that provides grants to more than 170 legal services programs around the nation for the purpose of providing civil legal assistance to low-income persons. LSC is prohibited from providing direct legal assistance; however, LSC grantee in your county may be able to provide you with some assistance. For further information, please contact:

Legal Services Alabama. Inc. 207 Montgomery Street, Suite 1200 500 Bell Building Montgomery. AL 36104-3534 Tel. (334) 264-1471 Fax (334) 264-1474

To qualify for free legal assistance from this program, you must not exceed the program's qualifying limitation on income and assets. Furthermore, the program can only accept cases that fall within its case priorities. In addition, a legal services program is restricted in the ways in which it can represent clients. For example, it may not handle any criminal cases, represent prisoners, or provide assistance in feegenerating cases. Please contact your local program directly to find out if you meet the eligibility guidelines and if your legal problem is among the program's priorities for services. Further, if your local program is unable to help you, they may be able to suggest other useful resources in your area.

Sincerely,

Constance C. Clarke

Office of Governmental Relations/Public Affairs

CC: White House





## OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT WASHINGTON

March 1, 2005

Mr. Calvin Scott 1416 Marler Road Pike Road, Alabama 36064-3814

Dear Mr. Scott:

Thank you for contacting Vice President Cheney for assistance in dealing with an agency of the Federal government. The Vice President has asked me to respond.

We are forwarding your matter to the Legal Services Corporation. That agency will review the facts and either start a case, reopen your old case, or explain their previous decision on your former case, as applicable. We have requested that they respond directly to you with a copy to us for our files, and we expect this to be done at the earliest possible opportunity.

Thank you for contacting the Vice President. Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Cecelia Boyer

Special Assistant to the Vice President

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cc: Agency

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